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St. Martinville, Louisiana

Financial Report

Year Ended June 30, 2007

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

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Mr. Richard Lavergne, Superintendent
and Members of the St. Martin Parish
School Board
St. Martinville, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the St. Martin Parish School Board (the School Board), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, which collectively comprise the School Board's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the St. Martin Parish School Board's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the School Board, as of June 30, 2007, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated November 1, 2007, on our consideration of the School Board's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The budgetary information on pages 46 through 47 is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

The School Board has not presented management's discussion and analysis that the Governmental Accounting Standards Board has determined necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the basic financial statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the School Board's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information on pages 50 through 74 including the schedule of expenditures of federal awards as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations and the schedules required by state law are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Kolder, Champagne, Slaven & Company, LLC
Certified Public Accountants

Breaux Bridge, Louisiana
November 1, 2007

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**GOVERNMENT-WIDE
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (GWFS)**

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Statement of Net Assets
June 30, 2007

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
ASSETS	
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	\$ 9,887,411
Investments	25,818,336
Receivables, net	2,387,264
Due from other governmental agencies	2,386,771
Inventories	356,012
Prepaid items	641,701
Restricted assets:	
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	184,225
Capital assets, net	<u>43,331,126</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>84,992,846</u>
LIABILITIES	
Salaries and payroll tax liabilities	4,774,955
Insurance claims payable	2,290,284
Other payables	1,040,001
Deferred revenue	364,425
Interest payable	375,024
Long-term liabilities:	
Due within one year	3,620,172
Due in more than one year	<u>28,026,473</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>40,491,334</u>
NET ASSETS	
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	15,311,241
Restricted for:	
Salaries and benefits	7,754,396
Inventory	356,012
Capital expenditures/incomplete contracts	567,991
Debt service	1,202,378
Unrestricted	<u>19,309,494</u>
TOTAL NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 44,501,512</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues			Net (Expense)
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Revenue and Changes in Net Assets Governmental Activities
Governmental activities:					
Instruction:					
Regular education programs	\$ 23,081,027	\$ -	\$ 561,976	\$ -	\$ (22,519,051)
Special education programs	7,123,764	-	746,830	-	(6,376,934)
Vocational education programs	1,363,684	-	157,071	-	(1,206,613)
Other instructional programs	1,124,587	-	529,253	-	(595,334)
Special programs	5,084,650	-	4,823,909	-	(260,741)
Adult and continuing education programs	119,861	-	104,152	-	(15,709)
Support services:					
Pupil support services	3,679,226	-	2,112,638	-	(1,566,588)
Instructional staff support	3,199,909	-	593,041	-	(2,606,868)
General administration	1,023,505	-	242,780	-	(780,725)
School administration	3,316,708	-	3,800	-	(3,312,908)
Business services	884,723	-	5,329	-	(879,394)
Operation and maintenance of plant services	5,440,374	-	57,052	-	(5,383,322)
Student transportation services	4,038,777	-	58,255	-	(3,980,522)
Central services	735,792	-	5,130	-	(730,662)
Food services	4,265,674	347,691	2,598,836	-	(1,319,147)
Community service programs	246,706	-	217,831	-	(28,875)
Interest on long-term debt	1,226,242	-	-	-	(1,226,242)
Total governmental activities	\$ 65,955,209	\$ 347,691	\$12,817,883	\$ -	\$ (52,789,635)
Taxes:					
Property taxes, levied for general purposes					2,270,793
Property taxes, levied for debt service					3,328,771
Sales and use taxes					11,927,408
State revenue sharing					265,418
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs:					
State source - Minimum Foundation Program					39,513,002
State source - PIPS					151,386
Interest and investment earnings					1,184,618
Rents, leases and royalties					669,268
Miscellaneous					621,225
Total general revenues					59,931,889
Change in net assets					7,142,254
Net assets - July 1, 2006					37,359,258
Net assets - June 30, 2007					\$ 44,501,512

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FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (FFS)

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds
June 30, 2007

	Major Funds			Total Governmental Funds
	General Fund	State and Local Special Revenue Funds	All Other Non-Major Governmental Funds	
ASSETS				
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	\$ 1,001,980	\$ 6,639,682	\$ 1,287,795	\$ 8,929,457
Investments	22,047,171	-	739,007	22,786,178
Receivables -				
Rents, leases, royalties	-	-	-	-
Accrued interest	166,217	-	-	166,217
Taxes receivables	-	1,114,715	-	1,114,715
Due from other funds	-	974,440	2,691,917	3,666,357
Due from other governmental agencies	51,964	316,152	2,018,655	2,386,771
Other receivables	252,262	262,918	28,895	544,075
Inventories, at cost	174,290	181,722	-	356,012
Other current assets	634,739	-	6,963	641,702
Total assets	\$ 24,328,623	\$ 9,489,629	\$ 6,773,232	\$ 40,591,484
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 820,572	\$ 35	\$ 45,631	\$ 866,238
Retainage payable	-	-	-	-
Salaries and payroll taxes payable	4,774,955	-	-	4,774,955
Claims payable	245,777	-	-	245,777
Due to other funds	2,218,246	347,170	1,847,761	4,413,177
Other payables	3,618	-	164,101	167,719
Deferred revenue	72,063	28,098	264,264	364,425
Total liabilities	8,135,231	375,303	2,321,757	10,832,291
Fund balances:				
Reserved for -				
Other purposes	174,290	7,936,118	-	8,110,408
Capital expenditures	-	-	567,991	567,991
Debt retirement	-	-	1,202,378	1,202,378
Total fund balances reserved	174,290	7,936,118	1,770,369	9,880,777
Unreserved -				
Designated:				
General fund	121,362	-	-	121,362
Transportation fund	-	974,440	-	974,440
Capital projects fund	-	-	2,681,106	2,681,106
Undesignated, reported in major funds	15,897,740	203,768	-	16,101,508
Total fund balances unreserved	16,019,102	1,178,208	2,681,106	19,878,416
Total fund balances	16,193,392	9,114,326	4,451,475	29,759,193
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 24,328,623	\$ 9,489,629	\$ 6,773,232	\$ 40,591,484

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet
to the Statement of Net Assets
June 30, 2007

Total fund balances for governmental funds at June 30, 2007		\$ 29,759,193
Cost of capital assets at June 30, 2007	\$ 78,290,525	
Less: Accumulated depreciation as of June 30, 2007:		
Buildings	(29,867,327)	
Movable property	<u>(5,092,072)</u>	43,331,126
Elimination of interfund assets and liabilities:		
Due from other funds	\$ 4,413,178	
Due to other funds	<u>(4,413,178)</u>	-
Long-term liabilities at June 30, 2007:		
Bonds payable	\$ (28,472,273)	
Difference between refunded debt and its reacquisition price		
is accounted for as a deferred charge	540,675	
Accumulated amortization of deferred charge	(88,290)	
Compensated absences payable	(3,626,760)	
Accrued interest payable	<u>(375,024)</u>	(32,021,672)
Assets and liabilities of Self - Insurance Internal Service Fund		<u>3,432,865</u>
Net assets at June 30, 2007		<u>\$ 44,501,512</u>

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Governmental Funds
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Major Funds		All Other Non-Major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
	General Fund	State and Local Special Revenue Funds		
REVENUES				
Local sources -				
Ad valorem taxes	\$ 2,270,793	-	\$ 3,328,771	\$ 5,599,564
Sales taxes	-	11,927,408	-	11,927,408
Tuition	39,535	-	-	39,535
Transportation	60,140	-	-	60,140
Interest earnings	1,032,585	92,730	59,303	1,184,618
Rentals, leases, and royalties	669,268	-	-	669,268
Income from meals	-	347,691	-	347,691
Contributions and donations	11,000	-	-	11,000
Medicaid	194,741	-	-	194,741
Kid Med	65,104	-	-	65,104
E-rate reimbursements	99,924	-	-	99,924
Other miscellaneous revenues	77,392	56,711	-	134,103
State sources -				
Unrestricted grants-in-aid	39,451,838	61,164	-	39,513,002
Restricted grants-in-aid	287,991	1,424,224	-	1,712,215
Revenue in lieu of taxes	265,418	-	-	265,418
Other state revenues	16,361	-	-	16,361
Federal sources -				
Restricted grants-in-aid through the state	-	2,737,455	8,307,208	11,044,663
Value of USDA Commodities	-	212,391	-	212,391
Total revenues	<u>44,542,090</u>	<u>16,859,774</u>	<u>11,695,282</u>	<u>73,097,146</u>
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
Instruction -				
Regular education programs	22,201,606	284,090	141,281	22,626,977
Special education programs	6,199,978	40,502	706,328	6,946,808
Vocational education programs	1,173,633	-	157,071	1,330,704
Other instructional programs	555,097	384,751	144,502	1,084,350
Special programs	329,550	147,206	4,481,804	4,958,560
Adult and continuing education programs	12,524	21,730	82,422	116,676
Support services -				
Pupil support services	1,612,168	487,443	1,479,694	3,579,305
Instructional staff services	2,548,585	109,623	483,418	3,141,626
General administration	738,038	242,780	21,013	1,001,831
School administration	3,258,079	-	3,800	3,261,879
Business services	858,579	-	5,364	863,943
Operation and maintenance of plant	5,412,539	-	57,052	5,469,591
Student transportation services	3,985,354	57,108	1,147	4,043,609
Central services	709,981	-	5,130	715,111
Food service	-	4,267,145	-	4,267,145
Community service programs	25,942	-	217,831	243,773
Construction Services	-	-	481,866	481,866
Debt service	-	-	3,012,896	3,012,896
Total expenditures	<u>49,621,653</u>	<u>6,042,378</u>	<u>11,482,619</u>	<u>67,146,650</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	(5,079,563)	10,817,396	212,663	5,950,496
Other financing sources (uses):				
Sale of fixed assets	319	-	-	319
Transfers in	10,070,884	1,487,250	1,992,767	13,550,901
Transfers out	(4,182,056)	(9,728,445)	(340,400)	(14,250,901)
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>5,889,147</u>	<u>(8,241,195)</u>	<u>1,652,367</u>	<u>(699,681)</u>
Excess of revenues and other sources over expenditures and other uses	809,584	2,576,201	1,865,030	5,250,815
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	<u>15,383,808</u>	<u>6,538,125</u>	<u>2,586,445</u>	<u>24,508,378</u>
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	<u>\$ 16,193,392</u>	<u>\$ 9,114,326</u>	<u>\$ 4,451,475</u>	<u>\$ 29,759,193</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and
Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds
to the Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

Total net change in fund balances for the year ended June 30, 2007 per Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances	\$ 5,250,815
Add: Facilities acquisition and construction costs which are considered expenditures on Statement	591,652
Less: Depreciation expense for year ended June 30, 2007	(1,795,464)
Add: Bond principal retirement considered as an expenditure on Statement	1,804,091
Less: Excess of compensated absences earned over compensated absences used	(264,920)
Add: Difference between interest on long-term debt on modified accrual basis versus interest on long-term debt on accrual basis	24,754
Add: Net income of the Self - Insurance Internal Service Funds	1,573,517
Less: Amortization of deferred charge	<u>(42,191)</u>
Total change in net assets for the year ended June 30, 2007 per Statement of Activities	<u>\$ 7,142,254</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St.Martinville, Louisiana
Proprietary Funds - Internal Service Funds

Combined Statement of Net Assets
June 30, 2007

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash and interest-bearing deposits	\$ 1,142,179
Investment	3,032,158
Other current assets	562,257
Due from other funds	<u>746,821</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 5,483,415</u>

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities:

Claims payable	\$ 2,044,507
Other current liabilities	<u>6,043</u>
Total liabilities	2,050,550

NET ASSETS

Net assets:

Unrestricted	<u>3,432,865</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 5,483,415</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana
Proprietary Funds - Internal Service Funds

Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets
Year Ended June 30, 2007

Operating Revenues:	
Charges for services -	
Employer contributions	\$ 6,605,743
Employee contributions	3,471,422
Insurance recoveries	977,110
Other recoveries	<u>3,673</u>
Total operating revenues	<u>11,057,948</u>
 Operating Expenses:	
Salaries and related benefits	60,060
Contractual services	434,138
Premium payments	394,763
Claim payments	<u>9,443,446</u>
Total operating expenses	<u>10,332,407</u>
 Operating income	 725,541
 Nonoperating Revenue:	
Interest earned	<u>147,977</u>
 Net income	 873,518
 Other Financing Source:	
Transfer from other fund	700,000
 Net assets, beginning	 <u>1,859,347</u>
 Net assets, ending	 <u>\$ 3,432,865</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana
Proprietary Funds - Internal Service Funds

Combined Statement of Cash Flows
Year ended June 30, 2007

Cash flows from operating activities:	
Receipts from other funds and employees	\$ 10,659,208
Payments to providers and employees	<u>(10,087,902)</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities	571,306
Cash flows from investing activities:	
Interest on investments	147,977
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:	
Transfer from other fund	<u>478,760</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	1,198,043
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	<u>2,976,294</u>
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	<u>\$ 4,174,337</u>
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used by operating activities:	
Operating income	\$ 725,541
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used by operating activities:	
Changes in current assets and liabilities:	
Increase in receivables	(398,740)
Increase in payables	<u>244,505</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>\$ 571,306</u>

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana
Proprietary Funds - Internal Service Funds

Combined Statement of Cash Flows (Continued)
Year ended June 30, 2007

Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents per statement
of cash flows to the balance sheet:

Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period -

Cash and interest-bearing deposits \$ 1,863,353

Investments, at cost 1,112,941

Total cash and cash equivalents 2,976,294

Cash and cash equivalents, end of period -

Cash and interest-bearing deposits 1,142,179

Investments, at cost 3,032,158

Total cash and cash equivalents 4,174,337

Net increase \$ 1,198,043

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St.Martinville, Louisiana

Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets
June 30, 2007

	Agency Funds	Private Purpose Trust Fund	Total
ASSETS			
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	\$ 1,270,916	\$ 963	\$1,271,879
Investments	-	26,158	26,158
Receivables -			
Accrued interest	-	205	205
Other current assets	1,543	-	1,543
Total assets	<u>1,272,459</u>	<u>27,326</u>	<u>1,299,785</u>
LIABILITIES			
Due to other funds	28,221	2,500	30,721
Due to other governmental units	7,474	-	7,474
School activity funds payable	1,202,692	-	1,202,692
Deferred revenues	34,072	-	34,072
Total liabilities	<u>1,272,459</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>1,274,959</u>
NET ASSETS			
Reserved for specific purposes	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 24,826</u>	<u>\$ 24,826</u>

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets
Private Purpose Trust Fund
Year Ended June 30, 2007

ADDITIONS	
Interest earnings	\$ 378
Gifts and contributions	<u>2,100</u>
Total additions	<u>2,478</u>
DEDUCTIONS	
Benefits	<u>6,600</u>
Change in net assets	(4,122)
Net assets - beginning	<u>28,948</u>
Net assets - ending	<u>\$ 24,826</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

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Notes to Basic Financial Statements

Introduction

The St. Martin Parish School Board (School Board) was created by Louisiana Revised Statute (LSA-R.S.) 17:51 for the purpose of providing public education for the children within St. Martin Parish. The School Board is authorized by LSA-R.S. 17:51 to establish policies and regulations for its own government consistent with the laws of the State of Louisiana and the regulations of the Louisiana Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. The School Board is comprised of ten members who are elected from ten districts for terms of four years.

The School Board operates seventeen schools within the parish. In conjunction with the regular educational programs, some of these schools offer special education and/or adult education programs. In addition, the School Board provides transportation and school food services for the students.

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accompanying financial statements of the St. Martin Parish School Board have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. Proprietary funds apply Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) pronouncements and Accounting Principles Board (APB) opinions issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless those pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements, in which case, GASB prevails. Although the School Board has the option to apply FASB pronouncements issued after that date, the School Board has chosen not to apply said pronouncements. The accounting and reporting framework and the more significant accounting policies are discussed below.

A. Financial Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, the School Board includes all funds and activities that are within the oversight responsibility of the School Board. Because the School Board members are independently elected and are solely accountable for fiscal matters, which include (1) budget authority, (2) responsibility for funding deficits and operating deficiencies, and (3) fiscal management for controlling the collection and disbursement of funds, and because of the scope of public service provided by the School Board, the School Board is a separate governmental reporting entity, primary government.

Certain units of local government over which the School Board exercises no oversight responsibility, such as the parish government, other independently elected parish officials, and municipalities within the parish, are excluded from the accompanying financial statements. These units of government are considered separate reporting entities and issue financial statements separate from that of the School Board. The School Board is not a component unit of any other entity and does not have any component units, which require inclusion in the financial statements of the School Board.

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B. Basis of Presentation

Government-Wide Financial Statements (GWFS)

The statement of net assets and the statement of activities display information about the School Board, the primary government, as a whole. They include all funds of the reporting entity, which are considered to be governmental activities. The School Board's internal service fund is a governmental activity. Internal service fund activity is eliminated to avoid "doubling up" of revenues and expenses. Fiduciary funds are not included in the GWFS. Fiduciary funds are reported only in the Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets at the fund financial statement level.

The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function of the School Board's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include (a) fees and charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs, and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements (FFS)

The accounts of the School Board are organized and operated on the basis of funds. A fund is an independent fiscal and accounting entity with a separate set of self-balancing accounts. Fund accounting segregates funds according to their intended purpose and is used to aid management in demonstrating compliance with finance-related legal and contractual provisions. Fund financial statements report detailed information about the School Board.

The various funds of the School Board are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary. The emphasis on fund financial statements is on major funds, each displayed in a separate column. A fund is considered major if it is the primary operating fund of the School Board or meets the following criteria:

- a. Total assets, liabilities, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of that individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 10 percent of the corresponding total for all funds of that category or type; and
- b. Total assets, liabilities, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 5 percent of the corresponding total for all governmental and enterprise funds combined.

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The School Board reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the School Board. It accounts for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in other funds.

The major special revenue fund is the State and Local Special Revenue Funds (which is comprised of the School Lunch Fund, the Other State Grants Fund, the Health Centers Fund, the Transportation Fund and the two Sales Tax Funds). These funds account for revenues and expenditures related to certain state and local grant and entitlement programs as well as other legally restricted funds.

Additionally, the School Board reports the following fund types:

The nonmajor special revenue fund types include the Federal Titles Funds (which is comprised of Title I and Carryover and No Child Left Behind Titles II through VI) and the Federal Grant Funds (which is comprised of LA-4, IDEA and Preschool, and Other Federal Grants Funds). These funds account for the revenues and expenditures related to certain federal, state and local grant and entitlement programs.

The Capital Projects Fund, which includes the 1996 Construction Fund, the 2002 Construction Fund, and the 2006 Construction Fund, is considered to be a nonmajor fund. They are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities as well as various school improvements.

The Debt Service Fund, established to meet requirements of bond ordinances, is considered to be a nonmajor fund. It is used to account for the accumulation of resources for and the payment of general long-term debt principal, interest, and related costs.

Proprietary Funds -

Proprietary funds are used to account for ongoing organizations and activities that are similar to those often found in the private sector. The measurement focus is based upon determination of net income, financial position, and cash flows. The following is the School Board's proprietary fund type:

Internal Service Funds

The Internal Service Funds (proprietary fund type) are used to account for the accumulation of resources for and the payment of benefits by the School Board's group self-insurance and workers' compensation insurance programs.

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Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues are derived from contributions made from the employer and employees. These revenues are planned to match: (1) expenses of insurance premiums in excess of self-insurance amounts; (2) actual claims and estimated liabilities for claims incurred but not yet reported at year-end, and (3) operating expenses. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

Fiduciary Funds -

Fiduciary funds account for assets held by the government in a trustee capacity or as an agent on behalf of other funds within the School Board. The funds accounted for in this category by the School Board are the agency funds. The agency funds are as follows:

School Activity Fund – accounts for monies generated by the individual schools and organizations within the schools of the parish as well as allocations made by the School Board to individual schools and selected organizations. While the school activity accounts are under the supervision of the School Board, they belong to the individual schools or their student bodies and are not available for use by the School Board.

Sales Tax Fund – accounts for the collection and distribution of all sales taxes levied in the parish of St. Martin.

Private-purpose trust funds – accounts for contributions from members of the St. Martin Parish School Board to encourage students of high academic standing and achievement to enter the education profession.

C. Measurement Focus/ Basis of Accounting

Measurement focus is a term used to describe “which” transactions are recorded within the various financial statements. Basis of accounting refers to “when” transactions are recorded regardless of the measurement focus applied.

Measurement Focus

On the government-wide statement of net assets and the statement of activities, the governmental activities are presented using the economic resources measurement focus as defined in item b. below. In the fund financial statements, the “current financial resources” measurement focus or the “economic resources” measurement focus is used as appropriate:

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- a. All governmental funds utilize a "current financial resources" measurement focus. Only current financial assets and liabilities are generally included on their balance sheets. Their operating statements present sources and uses of available spendable financial resources during a given period. These funds use fund balance as their measure of available spendable financial resources at the end of the period.
- b. The proprietary (internal service) fund utilizes an "economic resources" measurement focus. The accounting objectives of this measurement focus are the determination of operating income, changes in net assets (or cost recovery), financial position, and cash flows. All assets and liabilities (whether current or noncurrent) associated with their activities are reported. Proprietary fund equity is classified as net assets.

Basis of Accounting

In the government-wide statement of net assets and statement of activities, the governmental activities are presented using the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recorded when the liability is incurred or economic asset used. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets, and liabilities resulting from exchange and exchange-like transactions are recognized in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 33 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions."

Program revenues

Program revenues included in the Statement of Activities are derived directly from the program itself or from parties outside the School Board's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole; program revenues reduce the cost of the function to be financed from the School Board's general revenues.

Allocation of indirect expenses

The School Board reports all direct expenses by function in the Statement of Activities. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a function. Indirect expenses of other functions are not allocated to those functions, but are reported separately in the Statement of Activities. Depreciation expense is specifically allocated by function and is included in the direct expense of each function. Interest on general long-term debt is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities. Interest costs are not capitalized.

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In the fund financial statements, governmental funds are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when "measurable and available." Measurable means knowing or being able to reasonably estimate the amount. Available means being collectible within the current period or within 60 days after year-end. Expenditures (including facilities acquisition and construction) are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for general obligation bond principal and interest which are reported when due. The governmental funds use the following practices in recording revenues and expenditures:

Revenues

Federal and state entitlements (unrestricted grants-in-aid, which include state equalization and state revenue sharing) are recorded when available and measurable. Expenditure-driven federal and state grants, which are restricted as to the purpose of the expenditures, are recorded when the reimbursable expenditures have been incurred.

Ad valorem taxes are recorded in the year the taxes are due and payable. Ad valorem taxes are assessed in November, by the Parish Assessor, based on the assessed value and become due on December 31 of each year. The taxes become delinquent on January 1. An enforceable lien attaches to the property as of January 1. The taxes are generally collected in December, January, and February of the fiscal year. Property tax revenues are accrued at fiscal year-end to the extent that they have been collected but not received by the St. Martin Parish Tax Collector's Office. Such amounts are measurable and available to finance current operations.

Interest income on time deposits is recorded when earned.

Sales and use tax revenues are recorded in the month collected by the School Board.

Substantially all other revenues are recorded when received.

Expenditures

Salaries are recorded as expenditures when incurred. Nine-month employee salaries are incurred over a nine-month period but paid over a twelve-month period.

Compensated absences are recognized as expenditures when leave is actually taken or when employees (or heirs) are paid for accrued leave upon retirement or death.

Commitments under construction contracts are recognized as expenditures when earned by the contractor.

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Principal and interest on general long-term obligations are not recognized until due.

All other expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred.

The proprietary fund utilizes the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recorded when the liability is incurred or economic asset used.

Other Financing Sources (Uses)

Transfers between funds that are not expected to be repaid (or any other types, such as capital lease transactions, sales of capital assets, debt extinguishments, long-term debt proceeds, et cetera) are accounted for as other financing sources (uses). These other financing sources (uses) are recognized at the time the underlying events occur.

Deferred Revenues

Deferred revenues arise when resources are received before the School Board has a legal claim to them, as when grant monies are received prior to the incurrence of qualifying expenditures or when tuition is received in advance of the commencement of classes.

In subsequent periods, when the School Board has a legal claim to the resources, the liability for deferred revenue is removed from the balance sheet and the revenue is recognized.

D. Assets, Liabilities and Equity

Cash and interest-bearing deposits

For purposes of the Statement of Net Assets, cash and interest-bearing deposits include all demand accounts, savings accounts, and certificates of deposits of the School Board. For the purpose of the proprietary fund statement of cash flows, "cash and cash equivalents" include all demand and savings accounts, and certificates of deposit or short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased.

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Investments

Under state law the School Board may deposit funds with a fiscal agent organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the laws of any other state in the union, or the laws of the United States. The School Board may invest in United States bonds, treasury notes and bills, government backed agency securities, or certificates and time deposits of state banks organized under Louisiana law and national banks having principal offices in Louisiana. In addition, local governments in Louisiana are authorized to invest in the Louisiana Asset Management Pool (LAMP), a nonprofit corporation formed by the State Treasurer and organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana, which operates a local government investment pool. At June 30, 2007, the School Board's investments in LAMP are stated at cost. See additional information in Note 3.

Interfund receivables and payables

During the course of operations, numerous transactions occur between individual funds that may result in amounts owed between funds. Those related to goods and services type transactions are classified as "due to and from other funds." Short-term interfund loans are reported as 'interfund receivables and payables.' Interfund receivables and payables as well as due to and from other funds are eliminated in the Statement of Net Assets.

Receivables

Receivables consist of all revenues earned at year-end and not yet received. The majority of this balance is comprised of federal and state grants.

Inventories

The cost of inventories is recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased. Reserves are established for an amount equal to the carrying value of inventories.

Inventory of the School Lunch Special Revenue Fund consists of expendable supplies and food purchased by the School Board and commodities granted by the United States Department of Agriculture through the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry. The commodities are recorded as revenues when received; however, all inventory items are recorded as expenditures when consumed or used. All purchased inventory items are valued at the lower of cost (first-in, first-out) or market, and commodities are assigned values based on information provided by the United States Department of Agriculture.

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Capital Assets

The accounting treatment over property, plant and equipment (capital assets) depends on whether they are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements.

In the government-wide financial statements, capital assets are capitalized at historical cost, or estimated historical cost if actual is unavailable, except for donated assets, which are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of donation. The School Board maintains a threshold level of \$5,000 or more for capitalizing capital assets for purposes of the government wide financial statements. For internal purposes, the Board maintains a threshold level of \$1,000.

Depreciation of all exhaustible capital assets is recorded as an allocated expense in the Statement of Activities, with accumulated depreciation reflected in the Statement of Net Assets. Depreciation is provided over the assets' estimated useful life using the straight-line method of depreciation. The range of estimated useful lives by type of asset is as follows:

Buildings and improvements	20 - 40 years
Furniture and equipment	5 - 15 years

The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized.

In the fund financial statements, capital assets used in governmental fund operations are accounted for as facilities acquisition and construction expenditures of the governmental fund upon acquisition.

The School Board does not possess any material amounts of infrastructure capital assets, such as sidewalks and parking lots. Amounts expended for such items prior to June 30, 2003 were considered to be part of the cost of buildings and improvements. In the future, if such items are built or constructed, and appear to be material in cost compared to all capital assets, they will be capitalized and depreciated over their estimated useful lives as with all other depreciable capital assets.

Compensated Absences

All twelve month employees earn from ten to fifteen days of vacation leave each year, depending on their length of service with the School Board, which are not credited to the employee until the first day of the year subsequent to the year that vacation was earned. Newly hired employees earn vacation on a pro rata basis. An employee cannot accumulate more than two years of earned vacation. Any excess is lost. Employees are paid for unused vacation (subject to a two year limitation) at the time of resignation.

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All twelve month employees earn from twelve to eighteen days of sick leave each year. Teachers and other nine month employees earn ten days of sick leave each year. Sick leave may be accumulated. Upon retirement or death unused accumulated sick leave of up to twenty-five days is paid to the employee or to the employee's estate at the employee's current rate of pay. Under the Louisiana Teachers Retirement System, the total unused accumulated sick leave is used in the retirement benefit computation as earned service. Under the Louisiana School Employees Retirement System, all unpaid sick leave, which excludes the twenty-five days paid, is used in the computation of retirement benefits as earned service. Upon resignation, all sick leave is forfeited.

Sabbatical leave may be granted for medical reasons and for professional and cultural improvement. Any employee with a teaching certificate is entitled, subject to approval by the School Board, to one semester of sabbatical leave after three years of continuous service or two semesters of sabbatical leave after six or more years of continuous service. Due to its restrictive nature, sabbatical leave benefits are recorded as an expenditure in the period paid.

In the government-wide statements, amounts of vested or accumulated sick leave that are not expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are recorded as long-term debt.

At June 30, 2007, employees of the School Board have accumulated and vested \$3,626,760 of compensated absence benefits payable. Salary related payments are not accrued since this amount is deemed to be insignificant.

Long-term debt

The accounting treatment of long-term debt depends on whether the assets are used in governmental fund operations or proprietary fund operations and whether they are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements. Since the School Board's only Proprietary Fund is the Self-Insurance Internal Service Fund, which has no long-term debt, all School Board long-term debt is used in governmental fund operations.

All long-term debt to be repaid from governmental resources is reported as liabilities in the government-wide statements. The long-term debt consists primarily of general obligation bonds.

Long-term debt for governmental funds is not reported as liabilities in the fund financial statements. The debt proceeds are reported as other financing sources net of the applicable premium or discount and payment of principal and interest reported as expenditures. For fund financial reporting, issuance costs, even if withheld from the actual net proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

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Equity Classifications

In the government-wide statements, equity is classified as net assets and displayed in three components:

- a. Invested in capital assets, net of related debt – Consists of capital assets including restricted capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowing that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.
- b. Restricted net assets – Consists of net assets with constraints placed on the use either by (1) external groups, such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- c. Unrestricted net assets – All other net assets that do not meet the definition of “restricted” or “invested in capital assets, net of related debt.”

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance. Fund balance is further classified as reserved and unreserved, with unreserved further split between designated and undesignated. Proprietary fund equity is classified the same as in the government-wide statements.

Fund balance reserved for other purposes is comprised of the following:

	General Fund	State and Local Special Revenue Funds	Total
Salaries and operating expenses (1965 sales tax issue)	\$ -	\$ 3,586,915	\$3,586,915
Salaries and benefits (1990 sales tax issue)	-	4,167,481	4,167,481
Inventory	<u>174,290</u>	<u>181,722</u>	<u>356,012</u>
	<u>\$ 174,290</u>	<u>\$ 7,936,118</u>	<u>\$8,110,408</u>

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Fund balance designated is comprised of the following:

Health centers	\$ 121,362
Transportation Special Revenue Fund	<u>974,440</u>
Total	<u>\$1,095,802</u>

E. Budget Practices

The School Board adopted budgets for the General Fund and the Special Revenue Funds. Budgets are prepared on a modified accrual basis of accounting. All appropriations lapse at year end, and any encumbrances outstanding are included in the next year's budget. Formal budget accounts are integrated into the accounting system as a management control device.

The superintendent of schools and the chief financial officer are authorized to transfer amounts between budgeted line items within any fund. However, any unfavorable variances of revenues or expenditures of five percent or more within a fund must be presented to the School Board for Board action to amend fund budgets. Budgeted amounts included in the accompanying financial statements include the original adopted budgets and all subsequent amendments.

F. Revenue Restrictions

The School Board has various restrictions placed over certain revenue sources from state or local requirements. The primary restricted revenue sources include:

<u>Revenue Source</u>	<u>Legal Restrictions on Use</u>
Sales taxes	See Note 10
Ad valorem taxes	See Note 4

The School Board uses unrestricted resources only when restricted resources are fully depleted.

G. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statement and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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(2) Cash and Interest-Bearing Deposits

At June 30, 2007, the School Board has cash and cash equivalents totaling \$11,338,952 as follows:

	Governmental Funds	Fiduciary Funds	Total
Demand deposits	\$ 4,121	\$ 3,808	\$ 7,929
Interest-bearing deposits	10,036,794	1,294,229	11,331,023
Amounts owed to governmental funds	<u>30,721</u>	<u>(30,721)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 10,071,636</u>	<u>\$ 1,267,316</u>	<u>\$ 11,338,952</u>

These deposits are stated at cost, which approximates market. Under state law, these deposits (or the resulting bank balances) must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent. These securities are held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank that is mutually acceptable to both parties. The following is a summary of deposit balances (bank balances) at June 30, 2007, and the related federal insurance and pledged securities:

Bank balances	<u>\$ 12,594,108</u>
Federal insurance	201,926
Pledged securities (category 3)	<u>12,392,182</u>
Total federal insurance and pledged securities	<u>\$ 12,594,108</u>

Pledged securities in Category 3 include uninsured or unregistered investments for which the securities are held by the broker or dealer, or by its trust department or agent, but not in the School Board's name. Even though the pledged securities are considered uncollateralized (Category 3) Louisiana Revised Statute 39:1229 imposes a statutory requirement on the custodial bank to advertise and sell the pledged securities within 10 days of being notified by the School Board that the fiscal agent has failed to pay deposited funds upon demand.

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(3) Investments

The School Board can invest in direct debt securities of the United States unless law expressly prohibits such an investment. The School Board's investments are categorized to give an indication of the level of risk assumed by it at year-end. Category 1 includes investments that are insured or registered or for which the securities are held by the School Board or its agent in the School Board's name. Category 2 includes uninsured and unregistered investments with securities held by the counterparty's trust department or agent in the School Board's name. Category 3 includes uninsured and unregistered investments with securities held by the counterparty, or by its trust department or agent, but not in the School Board's name.

Investments consist of amounts on deposit with the Louisiana Asset Management Pool (LAMP) and Morgan Keegan and Company, Inc. An investment in the amount of \$15,247,016 at June 30, 2007 is deposited in LAMP, a local government investment pool. In accordance with GASB Codification Section 150.165, the investment in LAMP is not categorized into the three risk categories provided by GASB Codification Section 150.164 because the investment is in the pool of funds and thereby not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book entry form.

LAMP is administered by LAMP, Inc., a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana. Only local governments having contracted to participate in LAMP have an investment interest in its pool of assets. The primary objective of LAMP is to provide a safe environment for the placement of public funds in short-term, high quality investments. The LAMP portfolio includes only securities and other obligations in which local governments in Louisiana are authorized to invest in accordance with LSA-R.S. 33:2955. Accordingly, LAMP investments are restricted to securities issued, guaranteed, or backed by the U.S. Treasury, the U.S. government, or one of its agencies, enterprises, or instrumentalities, as well as repurchase agreements collateralized by those securities.

Effective August 1, 2001, LAMP's investment guidelines were amended to permit the investment in government-only money market funds. In its 2001 Regular Session, the Louisiana Legislature (Senate Bill No. 512, Act 701) enacted LSA-R.S. 33:2955 (a) (1) (h) which allows all municipalities, parishes, school boards, and any other political subdivisions of the State to invest in "Investment grade (A-1/P-1) commercial paper of domestic United States corporations." Effective October 1, 2001, LAMP's investment guidelines were amended to allow the limited investment in A-1 or A-1+ commercial paper.

The dollar weighted average portfolio maturity of LAMP assets is restricted to not more than 90 days, and consists of no securities with a maturity in excess of 397 days. LAMP is designed to be highly liquid to give its participants immediate access to their account balances. The investments in LAMP are stated at fair value based on quoted market rates. The fair value is determined on a weekly basis by LAMP and the value of the position in the pool is the same as the value of pool shares.

LAMP, Inc. is subject to the regulatory oversight of the state treasurer and the board of directors. LAMP is not registered with the SEC as an investment company.

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At June 30, 2007, the School Board's investment, at cost, is \$15,247,016. The amortized cost of this investment at June 30, 2007 was also \$15,247,016.

An investment in the amount of \$10,571,320 at June 30, 2007 is deposited into Morgan Keegan and Company, Inc. This investment is composed of government securities which are fully guaranteed as to payment by the United States government. Because of the safety of this investment, this investment takes exception to state law requiring security of federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank.

As of June 30, 2007, the investments in Morgan Keegan and Company, Inc. were comprised of the following.

<u>Investment</u>	<u>Maturities</u>	<u>Fair Values</u>
Federal Home Loan Bank	10/26/07 to 3/19/12	\$ 9,571,320
Fannie Mae	7/06/10	<u>1,000,000</u>
Total		<u>\$ 10,571,320</u>

The School Board does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

(4) Ad Valorem Taxes

The following is a summary of authorized and levied ad valorem taxes:

	<u>Millages</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
Parishwide taxes:		
Constitutional	2.93	2.93
Special school-		
Maintenance	9.35	9.35
Operation and maintenance	1.85	1.85
School bonds	22.39	22.39

Ad valorem taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1 of each year. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, taxes were levied by the School Board in July and were billed to taxpayers by the Assessor in November. Billed taxes are due by December 31, becoming delinquent on January 1 of the following year.

The taxes are based on assessed values determined by the Tax Assessor of St. Martin Parish and are collected by the Sheriff. The taxes are remitted to the School Board net of deductions for Pension Fund contributions.

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The School Board received ad valorem taxes that were paid under protest. It is possible that these taxes (or a portion thereof) will have to be returned to the taxpayer. The amount received of \$184,225 is reflected as a restricted asset. The estimated amount that may have to be refunded is \$184,225 and is reflected as deferred revenue on the balance sheet at June 30, 2007.

(5) Receivables

Receivables at June 30, 2007 of \$2,387,264 consisted of the following:

Accrued interest	\$ 166,217
Specific stop loss receivables	263,643
Rebates	298,420
Sales taxes	1,114,715
Other	<u>544,269</u>
	<u>\$2,387,264</u>

(6) Due from Other Governmental Agencies

Due from other governmental agencies of \$2,386,771 consisted primarily of amounts due from the State of Louisiana Department of Education for various appropriations and reimbursements.

(7) Capital Assets

Capital assets balances and activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 is as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2006	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2007
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 815,012	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 815,012
Construction in progress	1,426,637	481,901	(1,713,138)	195,400
Other capital assets:				
Buildings and improvements	68,659,193	1,713,138	-	70,372,331
Furniture and equipment	6,835,314	120,765	(48,297)	6,907,782
Total	<u>77,736,156</u>	<u>2,315,804</u>	<u>(1,761,435)</u>	<u>78,290,525</u>
Less accumulated depreciation:				
Buildings and improvements	28,460,741	1,406,586	-	29,867,327
Furniture and equipment	4,740,479	388,878	(37,285)	5,092,072
Total	<u>33,201,220</u>	<u>1,795,464</u>	<u>(37,285)</u>	<u>34,959,399</u>
Net capital assets	<u>\$44,534,936</u>	<u>\$ 520,340</u>	<u>\$ (1,724,150)</u>	<u>\$ 43,331,126</u>

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At June 30, 2007, construction in progress of \$195,400 consists of costs incurred to date on one school improvement project.

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental activities as follows:

Regular education programs	\$ 638,252
Special education programs	195,952
Vocational education programs	37,536
Other instructional programs	30,587
Special programs	139,869
Adult and continuing education programs	3,291
Pupil support services	100,963
Instructional staff support	88,618
General administration	28,259
School administration	92,010
Business services	24,370
Operation and maintenance of plant services	154,284
Student transportation services	114,060
Central services	20,171
Food services	120,366
Community services programs	<u>6,876</u>
Total depreciation expense	<u>\$ 1,795,464</u>

(8) Other Payables

At June 30, 2007, a breakdown of other payables of \$1,040,001 was as follows:

Accounts	\$ 866,238
Other liabilities	<u>173,763</u>
	<u>\$ 1,040,001</u>

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(9) Changes in General Long-Term Liabilities

The following is a summary of the changes in general long-term debt for the year ended June 30, 2007:

	<u>Compensated Absences</u>	<u>Bonded Debt</u>	<u>Total</u>
Obligations payable at July 1, 2006	\$ 3,361,840	\$29,781,785	\$33,143,625
Additions	2,033,192	-	2,033,192
Add: amortization	-	42,191	42,191
Reductions	<u>(1,768,272)</u>	<u>(1,804,091)</u>	<u>(3,572,363)</u>
Obligations payable at June 30, 2007	<u>\$ 3,626,760</u>	<u>\$28,019,885</u>	<u>\$31,646,645</u>

Compensated Absences

Compensated absences payable consists of the portion of accumulated sick leave and vacation leave of the governmental funds that is not expected to require current resources. The General Fund and Special Revenue Funds have historically been used to pay compensated absences (when applicable).

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Bonded Debt

School Board bonds outstanding at June 30, 2007 consist of parishwide general obligation school bonds and qualified zone academy bonds as follows:

Date of Issue	Original Issue	Interest Rates	Final Payment Date	Interest to Maturity	Principal Outstanding
Parishwide general obligation school bonds March 1, 1998	\$ 10,000,000	4.90 - 5.00	3/01/18	\$ 24,750	\$ 495,000
Parishwide general obligation school bonds March 1, 2000	2,000,000	5.25 - 6.25	3/01/20	28,874	270,000
Qualified zone academy bonds February 1, 2002	1,500,000	-	11/01/15	-	927,273
Parishwide general obligation school bonds July 1, 2002	8,000,000	4.125 - 5.125	03/01/22	2,829,325	6,715,000
Parishwide general obligation school bonds July 1, 2003	4,000,000	3.00 - 4.00	03/01/23	1,196,268	3,490,000
Parishwide general obligation school refunding bonds; October 1, 2004	3,455,000	3.00 - 3.75	03/01/16	574,100	3,090,000
Parishwide general obligation school refunding bonds; March 1, 2005	5,490,000	3.00 - 4.50	03/01/17	1,298,489	5,420,000
Parishwide general obligation school refunding bonds; March 1, 2006	8,080,000	4.00 - 5.00	03/01/20	2,439,000	8,065,000

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All principal and interest requirements on the parishwide general obligation school bonds are funded in accordance with Louisiana law by an annual ad valorem tax levy on taxable property within the parish. At June 30, 2007, the School Board has accumulated \$1,287,795 in the debt service funds for future debt requirements. The bonds are due as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30</u>	<u>Principal Payments</u>	<u>Amortization</u>	<u>Interest Payments</u>	<u>Total</u>
2008	\$ 1,894,091	\$ (42,191)	\$ 1,125,071	\$ 2,976,971
2009	1,979,091	(42,191)	1,054,459	2,991,359
2010	2,069,091	(42,191)	985,713	3,012,613
2011	2,159,091	(42,191)	907,730	3,024,630
2012	2,244,091	(42,191)	830,249	3,032,149
2013-2017	12,361,818	(210,955)	2,767,801	14,918,664
2018-2022	5,460,000	(30,478)	707,583	6,137,105
2023	<u>305,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12,200</u>	<u>317,200</u>
	<u>\$ 28,472,273</u>	<u>\$ (452,388)</u>	<u>\$ 8,390,806</u>	<u>\$ 36,410,691</u>

(10) Sales and Use Taxes

The School Board is authorized and has levied the following sales and use taxes:

1. March 20, 1965 (1%)

After paying collection and administration costs, the tax is to be used for salaries of teachers and for the expenses of operating schools, including payment of other personnel in addition to teachers.

2. December 1, 1990 (1%)

The tax is to be used for the payment of all debt service requirements on all outstanding bonds payable from the pledge of said tax, with the remainder to be used for the purpose of paying salaries and related benefits for professional and paraprofessional employees on a seven to five ratio. There are currently no bonds outstanding for which this tax is pledged.

(11) Pension Plan

Eligible employees of the School Board participate in one of six defined benefit multiple-employer public employee retirement systems (PERS), which are controlled and administered by a

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separate board of trustees. These retirement systems provide retirement, disability and death benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. Pertinent information relative to each plan follows:

A. Louisiana Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana - Regular

Plan members are required to contribute 8.0 percent of their annual covered salary to the system while the School Board is required to contribute the statutory rate of 15.8 percent of the total annual covered salary. The School Board's total contributions to the system for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006 and 2005 were \$5,132,619, \$4,891,530, and \$4,654,147 respectively, equal to the required contribution for each year.

A publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental financial information may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana Teachers' Retirement System, P.O. Box 94123, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9123.

B. Louisiana Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana - Plan A

Plan members are required to contribute 9.1 percent of their annual covered salary to the system while the School Board is required to contribute the statutory rate of 15.8 percent of the total annual covered salary. The School Board's total contributions to the system for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$44,060, \$42,010, and \$43,341, respectively, equal to the required contribution for each year.

A publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental financial information may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana Teachers' Retirement System, P.O. Box 94123, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9123.

C. Louisiana Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana-Optional

Plan members are required to contribute 8.0 percent of their annual covered salary to the system while the School Board is required to contribute the statutory rate of 15.8 percent of the total annual covered salary. There were no participants for the year ended June 30, 2007. The School Board's total contributions to the system for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$10,259, \$0, and \$0, respectively, equal to the required contribution for each year.

A publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental financial information may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana Teachers' Retirement System, P.O. Box 94123, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9123.

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D. Parochial Employees' Retirement System

Plan members are required to contribute 9.5 percent of their annual covered salary to the system while the School Board is required to contribute the statutory rate of 12.75 percent of the total covered salary. The School Board's total contributions to the system for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006 and 2005 were \$1,248, \$1,224 and \$1,247, respectively, equal to the required contribution for each year.

A publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental financial information may be obtained by writing to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System, P.O. Box 14619, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70898-4619.

E. Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System

Plan members are required to contribute 7.5 percent of their annual covered salary to the system while the School Board is required to contribute the statutory rate of 19.6 percent of the total annual covered salary. The School Board's total contributions to the system for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$15,468, \$13,880 and \$17,695, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

A publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental financial information may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, P.O. Box 44213, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4213.

F. Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System

Plan members are required to contribute 7.5 percent of their annual covered salary to the system while the School Board is required to contribute the statutory rate of 19.1 percent of the total annual covered salary. The School Board's total contributions to the system for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$710,280, \$607,307 and \$473,585, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

A publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental financial information may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System, P.O. Box 44516, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804.

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(12) Changes in Agency Deposits Due Others

A summary of changes in agency fund deposits due others follows:

	School Activity Fund	Sales Tax Fund	Total
Balance at July 1, 2006	\$ 1,264,051	\$ -	\$ 1,264,051
Additions	1,996,812	20,937,144	22,933,956
Reductions	<u>(2,058,171)</u>	<u>(20,937,144)</u>	<u>(22,995,315)</u>
Balance at June 30, 2007	<u>\$ 1,202,692</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,202,692</u>

(13) Risk Management

The School Board is exposed to risks of loss in the areas of health care, workers' compensation, general and auto liability and property hazards. Health care and workers' compensation risks are handled through a self-insurance plan as described below. The other risks are handled by purchasing commercial insurance. There have been no significant reductions in these insurance coverages during the current fiscal year, nor have settlements exceeded insurance coverage for the current or prior two fiscal years.

A. Workers' Compensation

The School Board has established a limited risk management program for workers' compensation. The School Board hired Cannon Cochran Management Services, Inc. (CCMSI) as administrator for this program. During fiscal year 2007, a total of \$1,524,377 was incurred in benefits and administrative costs. The School Board purchases commercial insurance for individual claims in excess of \$200,000. Incurred but not paid claims have been accrued as a liability in the Workers Compensation Fund.

B. Group Self-Insurance

The School Board also established a limited risk management program for group hospitalization insurance. This plan provides employee health benefits up to a \$1,000,000 lifetime maximum with an annual \$10,000 restoration. The School Board purchases commercial insurance for individual claims in excess of \$150,000. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, several settled claims exceeded the commercial coverage in the amount of \$263,643.

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The General and Special Revenue Funds of the School Board participate in the program and make payments to the Self-Insurance Fund based on amounts needed to pay prior and current year claims. The claims liability of \$995,000 reported in the fund at June 30, 2007, is based on the loss that is probable at the date of the financial statements and the amount of the loss that can be reasonably estimated. The School Board currently does not discount its claims liabilities.

C. Reconciliation of Claims Liabilities

Changes in the claims liability amounts for the risk management programs are as follows:

	Balance at Beginning of Fiscal Year	Claims and Changes in Estimates	Benefit Payments and Claims	Balance at Fiscal Year-End
Workers' compensation:				
2004-2005	\$ 307,604	\$ 272,754	\$ 289,407	\$ 290,951
2005-2006	290,951	858,182	646,641	502,492
2006-2007	502,492	1,476,801	929,786	1,049,507
Group hospitalization:				
2004-2005	1,100,000	8,115,986	7,520,986	1,695,000
2005-2006	1,695,000	7,463,428	7,863,428	1,295,000
2006-2007	1,295,000	8,208,030	8,508,030	995,000

Claims payable of \$1,049,507 for workers' compensation at June 30, 2007 was obtained from information provided by the third party administrator.

Claims payable for group hospitalization of \$995,000 at June 30, 2007 was determined as follows:

1. Claims incurred prior to June 30, 2007 and paid between July 1, and September 30, 2007	\$ 609,425
2. Claims incurred prior to June 30, 2007 but not yet paid at September 30, 2007	38,413
3. Provision for claims incurred but not reported	<u>347,162</u>
Total claims payable	<u>\$ 995,000</u>

The provision for claims incurred but not reported of \$347,162 was calculated utilizing historical information.

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(14) Compensation of Board Members

A detail of the compensation paid to individual board members for the year ended June 30, 2007 follows:

Wanda Babin	\$ 4,800
James Blanchard	10,200
Aaron Flegeance	4,800
Steve Fuselier	9,600
Mark Hebert	9,600
Paulma Johnson	4,800
Floyd Knott	10,200
Barbara Latiolais	9,600
Rodney Ledoux	9,600
Richard Potier	9,600
Frederic Stelly	9,600
Anthony Wiltz	4,800
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	\$ 97,200

(15) Commitments and Contingencies

A. Contingent Liabilities

At June 30, 2007, the School Board is involved in several lawsuits. In the opinion of management and/or legal counsel for the School Board, resolution of these lawsuits will not involve any material liability (after meeting the insurance deductible of \$50,000 per occurrence) to the School Board in excess of insurance coverage. Total liability for lawsuits as well as other claims accrued at June 30, 2007 is \$245,777 and is included in insurance claims payable on the statement of net assets.

B. Grant Audit

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the School Board expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

C. Potential misappropriation of funds

The School Board is conducting an internal investigation regarding potential misappropriation of funds. The outcome, although uncertain, is believed to be insignificant in dollar amount. No liability has been recorded in the financial statements.

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(16) Interfund Transactions

A. Interfund receivables and payables, by fund, at June 30, 2007 are as follows:

	<u>Receivables</u>	<u>Payables</u>
Major funds:		
General Fund	\$ -	\$ 2,218,246
State and Local Special Revenue Funds	974,440	347,170
Federal Grant Funds	-	-
Total major funds	<u>974,440</u>	<u>2,565,416</u>
Nonmajor governmental funds	2,691,917	1,847,761
Internal service funds	<u>746,820</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 4,413,177</u>	<u>\$ 4,413,177</u>

The amounts shown are primarily for reimbursements owed for expenditures paid by one fund on behalf of another fund. All balances should be repaid within one year.

B. Transfers consisted of the following at June 30, 2007:

	<u>Transfers In</u>	<u>Transfers Out</u>
Major funds:		
General Fund	\$10,070,884	\$ 4,182,056
State and Local Special Revenue Funds	1,487,250	9,728,445
Nonmajor governmental funds	1,992,767	340,400
Internal service funds	<u>700,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$14,250,901</u>	<u>\$14,250,901</u>

Transfers are used to (a) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them and to (b) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

17) Post-Retirement Health Care and Life Insurance Benefits

The School Board provides continuing health care benefits for its retired employees. Substantially all of the School Board's employees become eligible for these benefits if they reach normal retirement age while working for the School Board. The monthly premiums of these benefits for retirees are shared by the employee (approximately 36%) and by the School Board (approximately 64%). The School Board had approximately 520 retirees and incurred

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a cost of approximately \$2,025,000 as it relates to retiree benefits for the year ended June 30, 2007.

In June 2004, The Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued Statement No. 45, "Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Post-employment Benefit Plans Other Than Pensions Plans." The School Board is required to implement this standard for the year ended June 30, 2009. The School Board has not yet determined the full impact that the adoption will have on the financial statements.

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY
INFORMATION**

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
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General Fund

Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Budget		Actual	Variance - Final budget vs. Actual
	Original	Final		Positive (Negative)
Revenues:				
Local sources -				
Ad valorem taxes	\$ 2,026,000	\$ 2,240,700	\$ 2,270,793	\$ 30,093
Tuition	57,700	57,700	39,535	(18,165)
Transportation	56,900	56,900	60,140	3,240
Interest earnings	630,000	1,006,750	1,032,585	25,835
Rentals, leases, and royalties	580,000	620,000	669,268	49,268
Other	261,000	370,562	448,161	77,599
State sources -				
Unrestricted grants-in-aid	39,027,600	39,441,646	39,451,838	10,192
Restricted grants-in-aid	284,300	304,100	287,991	(16,109)
Revenue in lieu of taxes	253,700	264,900	265,418	518
Other state revenues	24,000	21,000	16,361	(4,639)
Total revenues	43,201,200	44,384,258	44,542,090	157,832
Expenditures:				
Instruction -				
Regular education programs	22,164,558	23,141,852	22,201,606	940,246
Special education programs	6,499,220	6,436,500	6,199,978	236,522
Vocational education programs	1,183,336	1,211,150	1,173,633	37,517
Other instructional programs	541,871	561,100	555,097	6,003
Special programs	381,888	399,200	329,550	69,650
Adult and continuing education programs	41,017	12,074	12,524	(450)
Support services -				
Pupil support services	1,850,201	1,839,331	1,612,168	227,163
Instructional staff services	2,533,263	2,567,550	2,548,585	18,965
General administration	748,207	782,531	738,038	44,493
School administration	3,239,473	3,283,829	3,258,079	25,750
Business services	980,167	972,965	858,579	114,386
Operation and maintenance of plant	5,992,403	5,831,480	5,412,539	418,941
Student transportation services	3,871,192	4,188,825	3,985,354	203,471
Central services	628,313	800,473	709,981	90,492
Community service programs	15,000	26,650	25,942	708
Total expenditures	50,670,109	52,055,510	49,621,653	2,433,857
Deficiency of revenues over expenditures	(7,468,909)	(7,671,252)	(5,079,563)	2,591,689
Other financing sources (uses):				
Sale of fixed assets	-	300	319	19
Operating transfers in	9,442,452	9,979,838	10,070,884	91,046
Operating transfers out	(1,190,351)	(1,548,390)	(4,182,056)	(2,633,666)
Total other financing sources	8,252,101	8,431,748	5,889,147	(2,542,601)
Excess of revenues and other sources over expenditures	783,192	760,496	809,584	49,088
Fund balance, beginning	15,383,808	15,383,808	15,383,808	-
Fund balance, ending	\$ 16,167,000	\$ 16,144,304	\$ 16,193,392	\$ 49,088

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
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State and Local Special Revenue Funds

Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Budget		Actual	Variance - Final budget vs. Actual
	Original	Final		Positive (Negative)
Revenues:				
Local sources -				
Sales taxes	\$ 10,567,180	\$ 11,496,498	\$ 11,927,408	\$ 430,910
Interest earnings	43,995	82,819	92,730	9,911
Other	405,800	402,381	404,402	2,021
State sources -				
Unrestricted grants-in-aid	61,164	61,164	61,164	-
Restricted grants-in-aid	1,539,423	1,430,150	1,424,224	(5,926)
Federal sources -				
Restricted grants-in-aid through the state	2,685,000	2,711,901	2,737,455	25,554
Value of USDA Commodities	216,000	212,391	212,391	-
Total revenues	<u>15,518,562</u>	<u>16,397,304</u>	<u>16,859,774</u>	<u>462,470</u>
Expenditures:				
Instruction -				
Regular education programs	306,942	285,728	284,090	1,638
Special education programs	39,627	40,502	40,502	-
Other instructional programs	474,625	388,938	384,751	4,187
Special programs	147,206	147,206	147,206	-
Adult and continuing education programs	15,624	21,730	21,730	-
Support services -				
Pupil support services	505,780	488,612	487,443	1,169
Instructional staff services	120,225	109,797	109,623	174
General administration	378,807	245,583	242,780	2,803
Student transportation services	680,994	61,484	57,108	4,376
Food service	4,368,324	4,421,116	4,267,145	153,971
Total expenditures	<u>7,038,154</u>	<u>6,210,696</u>	<u>6,042,378</u>	<u>168,318</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures	8,480,408	10,186,608	10,817,396	630,788
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers in	1,081,260	1,237,250	1,487,250	250,000
Operating transfers out	(9,038,100)	(9,653,824)	(9,728,445)	(74,621)
Total other financing uses	<u>(7,956,840)</u>	<u>(8,416,574)</u>	<u>(8,241,195)</u>	<u>175,379</u>
Excess of revenues and other sources over expenditures and other uses	523,568	1,770,034	2,576,201	806,167
Fund balance, beginning	<u>6,538,125</u>	<u>6,538,125</u>	<u>6,538,125</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance, ending	<u>\$ 7,061,693</u>	<u>\$ 8,308,159</u>	<u>\$ 9,114,326</u>	<u>\$ 806,167</u>

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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Mr. Richard Lavergne, Superintendent
and Members of the St. Martin Parish
School Board
St. Martinville, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the St. Martin Parish School Board, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, which collectively comprise the School Board's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated November 1, 2007. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the St. Martin Parish School Board's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the School Board's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the School Board's internal control over financial reporting.

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A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatement on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or a combination of control deficiencies that adversely affects the School Board's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the School Board's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the School Board's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the School Board's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the St. Martin Parish School Board's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, others within the organization, Board Members, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Mr. Richard Lavergne, Superintendent
and Members of the St. Martin Parish
School Board
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the St. Martin Parish School Board with the types of compliance requirements described in the U. S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2007. The St. Martin Parish School Board's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the St. Martin Parish School Board's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the St. Martin Parish School Board's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the St. Martin Parish School Board's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the St. Martin Parish School Board's compliance with those requirements.

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In our opinion, the St. Martin Parish School Board complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2007.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the St. Martin Parish School Board is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the St. Martin Parish School Board's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the St. Martin Parish School Board's internal control over compliance.

A control deficiency in an entity's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or a combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the School Board's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the School Board's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the School Board's internal control.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, others within the organization, Board Members, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. Although the intended use of this report may be limited, under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
Year Ended June 30, 2007

(1) General

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards presents the activity of all federal financial assistance programs of the St. Martin Parish School Board (the School Board). The School Board reporting entity is defined in Note 1 to the basic financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2007. All federal financial assistance received directly from federal agencies is included on the schedule as well as federal financial assistance passed through other government agencies. The major programs are identified with an asterisk (*) on the schedule.

(2) Basis of Accounting

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented using the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is described in Note 1 to the School Board's basic financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2007.

(3) Relationship to Fund Financial Statements

Federal financial assistance revenues are reported in the School Board's fund financial statements as follows:

From federal sources:

Special Revenue Funds	<u>\$11,257,054</u>
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(4) Relationship to Federal Financial Reports

Amounts reported in the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards agree with the amounts reported in the related federal financial reports.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
Year Ended June 30, 2007

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program Name	Pass-through Identifying Number 2006	Pass-through Identifying Number 2007	CFDA Number	Revenue Recognized	Expenditures
<u>United States Department of Agriculture:</u>					
Passed through Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry - Food Donation*	-	-	10.550	\$ 212,391	\$ 212,391
Passed through Louisiana Department of Education - National School Lunch Program*	-	-	10.555	2,737,455	2,737,455
Total United States Department of Agriculture				<u>2,949,846</u>	<u>2,949,846</u>

<u>United States Department of Education:</u>					
Passed through Louisiana Department of Education - Adult Education - State Grant Program - Federal Funds and Federal Funds Corrections	28-06-44-50 28-06-02-50	28-07-44-50 28-07-02-50	84.002 84.048	75,983 162,594	75,983 162,594
Vocational Education - Basic Grants to States - Carl Perkins OMH Kids in Crisis	-	-	93.667	94,896	94,896
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies Improving Teacher Quality State Grants - Title II Education Technology State Grants - Enhancing Education Through Technology	06-T1-50 06-50-50 28-06-49-50	07-T1-50 07-50-50 28-07-49-50	84.010 84.367 84.318	3,151,024 573,633 69,478	3,151,024 573,633 69,478
Special Education - Grants to States - IDEA*	28-06-B1-50	28-07-B1-50	84.027	2,145,677	2,145,677
Special Education Pre-School Grants*	28-06-P1-50	28-70-P1-50	84.173	81,007	81,007
Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities - State Grants	06-70-50	07-70-50	84.186	65,327	65,327
State Grants for Innovative Programs - Title V	06-80-50	07-80-50	84.298	721	721
English Language Acquisition Grants - Title III	2806-60-50	2807-60-50	84.365	29,015	29,015
Hurricane Education Recovery	28061A-50, 28061P-50	2807A-50	84.938	66,368	66,368

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
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Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Continued)
Year Ended June 30, 2007

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program Name	Pass-through Identifying Number		CFDA Number	Revenue Recognized		Expenditures
	2006	2007				
Even Start- State Educational Agencies	28-06-F1-50	28-07-F1-50	84.213	153,793	153,793	
Adult Education - State Grant Program Federal Adult and Family Literacy	28-06-43-50	-	84.002	6,439	6,439	
Foreign Language Assistance	-	-	84.293	77,822	77,822	
Total United States Department of Education				6,753,777	6,753,777	
United States Department of Health and Human Services:						
Passed through Louisiana Department of Education -						
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families - LA 4	-	-	93.558	1,553,431	1,553,431	
Total				\$ 11,257,054	\$ 11,257,054	

*Denotes major federal program.
-Numbers are not readily accessible.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Schedule of Findings, Questioned Costs and
Management's Corrective Action Plan
Year Ended June 30, 2007

Part I: Summary of Auditor's Results:

1. An unqualified report was issued on the financial statements.
2. No significant deficiencies were disclosed by the audit of the financial statements.
3. Material noncompliance was not disclosed.
4. No significant deficiencies in internal control over the major programs were disclosed by the audit of the financial statements.
5. An unqualified opinion was issued on compliance for the major programs.
6. The audit disclosed no audit findings required to be reported under Section 510(a) of Circular A-133.
7. The major programs were:
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Food Donation
U.S. Department of Agriculture: National School Lunch Program
U.S. Department of Education: Special Education -- Grants to States - IDEA
U.S. Department of Education: Special Education Pre-School Grants
8. The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs, as described in Section 520(b) of Circular A-133 was \$337,712.
9. The auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee under Section 530 of Circular A-133.

Part II: Findings which are required to be reported in accordance with generally accepted governmental auditing standards:

There are no findings at June 30, 2007.

Part III: Findings and questioned costs for Federal awards which include audit findings as defined in Section 510(a) of Circular A-133:

There are no findings at June 30, 2007.

Part IV: Management Letter Items:

There are no management letter items at June 30, 2007.

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Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings
Year Ended June 30, 2007

Section I: Findings which are required to be reported in accordance with generally accepted governmental auditing standards:

There were no findings at June 30, 2006.

Section II: Findings and questioned costs for Federal awards which include audit findings as defined in Section 510(a) of Circular A-133:

There were no findings at June 30, 2006.

Section III: Management Letter Items:

There were no management letter items at June 30, 2006.

SCHEDULES REQUIRED BY STATE LAW
(R.S. 24:514 – PERFORMANCE AND STATISTICAL DATA)

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AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES REPORT ON SCHOOL BOARD PERFORMANCE MEASURES

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Mr. Richard Lavergne, Superintendent
and Members of the St. Martin Parish
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St. Martinville, Louisiana

We have performed the procedures included in the *Louisiana Governmental Audit Guide* and enumerated below, which were agreed to by the management of the St. Martin Parish School Board and the Legislative Auditor, State of Louisiana, solely to assist users in evaluating management's assertions about the performance and statistical data accompanying the annual financial statements of the St. Martin Parish School Board and to determine whether the specified schedules are free of obvious errors and omissions as provided by the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) Bulletin. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was performed in accordance with standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of the specified users of the report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

Our procedures and findings relate to the accompanying schedules of supplemental information and are as follows:

General Fund Instructional and Support Expenditures and Certain Local Revenue Sources (Schedule 1)

1. We selected a random sample of 25 transactions and reviewed supporting documentation to determine if the sampled expenditures/revenues are classified correctly and are reported in the proper amounts for each of the following amounts reported on the schedule:

- Total General Fund Instructional Expenditures,
- Total General Fund Equipment Expenditures,
- Total Local Taxation Revenue,
- Total Local Earnings on Investment in Real Property,

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- Total State Revenue in Lieu of Taxes,
- Nonpublic Textbook Revenue, and
- Nonpublic Transportation Revenue.

There were no exceptions noted.

Education Levels of Public School Staff (Schedule 2)

2. We reconciled the total number of full-time classroom teachers per the schedule "Experience of Public Principals and Full-time Classroom Teachers" (Schedule 4) to the combined total number of full-time classroom teachers per this schedule and to school board supporting payroll records as of October 1st.

There were no exceptions noted.

3. We reconciled the combined total of principals and assistant principals per the schedule "Experience of Public Principals and Full-time Classroom Teachers" (Schedule 4) to the combined total of principals and assistant principals per this schedule.

There were no exceptions noted.

4. We obtained a list of full-time teachers, principals, and assistant principals by classification as of October 1st and as reported on the schedule. We traced a random sample of 25 teachers to the individual's personnel file and determined if the individual's education level was properly classified on the schedule.

There were no exceptions noted.

Number and Type of Public Schools (Schedule 3)

5. We obtained a list of schools by type as reported on the schedule. We compared the list to the schools and grade levels as reported on the Title 1 Grants to Local Educational Agencies (CFDA 84.010) application and/or the National School Lunch Program (CFDA 10.555) application.

There were no exceptions noted.

Experience of Public Principals and Full-time Classroom Teachers (Schedule 4)

6. We obtained a list of full-time teachers, principals, and assistant principals by classification as of October 1 and as reported on the schedule and traced the same sample used in procedure 4 to the individual's personnel file and determined if the individual's experience was properly classified on the schedule.

There were no exceptions noted.

Public Staff Data (Schedule 5)

7. We obtained a list of all classroom teachers including their base salary, extra compensation, and ROTC or rehired retiree status as well as full-time equivalent as reported on the schedule and traced a random sample of 25 teachers to the individual's personnel file and determined if the individual's salary, extra compensation, and full-time equivalents were properly included on the schedule.

There were no exceptions noted.

8. We recalculated the average salaries and full-time equivalents reported in the schedule.

There were no exceptions noted.

Class Size Characteristics (Schedule 6)

9. We obtained a list of classes by school, school type, and class size as reported on the schedule and reconciled school type classifications to Schedule 3 data, as obtained in procedure 5. We then traced a random sample of 10 classes to the October 1st roll books for those classes and determined if the class was properly classified on the schedule.

There were no exceptions noted.

Louisiana Educational Assessment Program (LEAP) for the 21st Century (Schedule 7)

10. We obtained test scores as provided by the testing authority and reconciled scores as reported by the testing authority to scores reported in the schedule by St. Martin Parish School Board.

There were no exceptions noted.

The Graduation Exit Exam for the 21st Century (Schedule 8)

11. We obtained test scores as provided by the testing authority and reconciled scores as reported by the testing authority to scores reported in the schedule by St. Martin Parish School Board.

There were no exceptions noted.

The Iowa and Integrated Louisiana Educational Assessment Program (iLEAP) Tests (Schedule 9)

12. We obtained test scores as provided by the testing authority and reconciled scores as reported by the testing authority to scores reported in the schedule by St. Martin Parish School Board.

There were no exceptions noted.

We were not engaged to, and did not, perform an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on management's assertions. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the use of management of St. Martin Parish School Board, the Louisiana Department of Education, the Louisiana Legislature, and the Legislative Auditor, State of Louisiana, and should not be used by those who have not agreed to the procedures and taken responsibility for the sufficiency of the procedures for their purposes. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

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Breaux Bridge, Louisiana
November 1, 2007

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

**General Fund Instructional and Support Expenditures
 and Certain Local Revenue Sources
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2007**

General Fund Instructional and Equipment Expenditures

General Fund Instructional Expenditures:

Teacher and Student Interaction Activities:

Classroom Teacher Salaries	\$ 19,822,563	
Other Instructional Staff Activities	2,628,457	
Employee Benefits	6,750,920	
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	157,282	
Instructional Materials and Supplies	1,014,983	
Instructional Equipment	16,960	
Total Teacher and Student Interaction Activities		30,391,165

Other Instructional Activities 223,038

Pupil Support Activities	1,620,991	
Less: Equipment for Pupil Support Activities	-	
Net Pupil Support Activities		1,620,991

Instructional Staff Services	2,550,916	
Less: Equipment for Instructional Staff Services	-	
Net Instructional Staff Services		2,550,916

Total General Fund Instructional Expenditures \$ 34,786,110

Total General Fund Equipment Expenditures \$ 179,618

Certain Local Revenue Sources

Local Taxation Revenue:

Constitutional Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 434,146	
Renewable Ad Valorem Tax	1,666,613	
Debt Service Ad Valorem Tax	3,328,771	
Up to 1% of Collections by the Sheriff on Taxes Other than School Taxes	170,034	
Sales and Use Taxes	11,927,408	
Total Local Taxation Revenue		<u>\$ 17,526,972</u>

Local Earnings on Investment in Real Property:

Earnings from 16th Section Property	\$ 667,999	
Earnings from Other Real Property	-	
Total Local Earnings on Investment in Real Property		<u>\$ 667,999</u>

State Revenue in Lieu of Taxes:

Revenue Sharing - Constitutional Tax	\$ 68,004	
Revenue Sharing - Other Taxes	175,244	
Revenue Sharing - Excess Portion	22,170	
Other Revenue in Lieu of Taxes	-	
Total State Revenue in Lieu of Taxes		<u>\$ 265,418</u>

Nonpublic Textbook Revenue \$ 36,467

Nonpublic Transportation Revenue \$ 100,138

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Education Levels of Public School Staff
As of October 1, 2006

Category	Full-time Classroom Teachers				Principals & Assistant Principals			
	Certificated		Uncertificated		Certificated		Uncertificated	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Less than a Bachelor's Degree	0	0%	1	12%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor's Degree	450	81%	7	88%	1	3%	0	0%
Master's Degree	76	14%	0	0%	17	57%	0	0%
Master's Degree + 30	31	6%	0	0%	11	37%	0	0%
Specialist in Education	0	0%	0	0%	1	3%	0	0%
Ph. D. or Ed. D.	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	558	100%	8	100%	30	100%	0	0%

Schedule 3

**ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana**

**Number and Type of Public Schools
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007**

Type	Number
Elementary	9
Middle/Jr. High	4
Secondary	3
Combination	1
Total	17

Note: Schools opened or closed during the fiscal year are included in this schedule.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Experience of Public Principals and Full-time Classroom Teachers
As of October 1, 2006

	0-1 Yr.	2-3 Yrs.	4-10 Yrs.	11-14 Yrs.	15-19 Yrs.	20-24 Yrs.	25+ Yrs.	Total
Assistant Principals	0	0	4	4	2	1	3	14
Principals	0	0	0	2	2	5	7	16
Classroom Teachers	73	43	147	74	67	37	125	566
Total	73	43	151	80	71	43	135	596

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Public School Staff Data
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	All Classroom Teachers	Classroom Teachers Excluding ROTC, Rehired Retirees and Flagged Salary Reductions
Average Classroom Teachers' Salary Including Extra Compensation	40,802	40,194
Average Classroom Teachers' Salary Excluding Extra Compensation	40,608	40,097
Number of Teacher Full-time Equivalents (FTEs) used in Computation of Average Salaries	565	523

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

Class Size Characteristics
As of October 1, 2006

School Type	Class Size Range							
	1 - 20		21 - 26		27 - 33		34+	
	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number
Elementary	39.3%	485	55.4%	684	5.1%	63	0.2%	3
Elementary Activity Classes	33.9%	57	57.1%	96	8.9%	15	0.0%	-
Middle/Jr. High	38.9%	192	35.4%	175	25.1%	124	0.6%	3
Middle/Jr. High Activity Classes	43.3%	39	20.0%	18	21.1%	19	15.6%	14
High	49.1%	442	29.3%	264	21.0%	189	0.7%	6
High Activity Classes	87.0%	174	8.5%	17	3.0%	6	1.5%	3
Combination	100.0%	3	0.0%	-	0.0%	-	0.0%	-
Combination Activity Classes	0.0%	-	0.0%	-	0.0%	-	0.0%	-

Note: The Board of Elementary and Secondary Education has set specific limits on the maximum size of classes at various grade levels. The maximum enrollment in grades K-3 is 26 students and maximum enrollment in grades 4-12 is 33 students. These limits do not apply to activity classes such as physical education, chorus, band, and other classes without maximum enrollment standards. Therefore, these classes are included only as separate line items.

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts						Mathematics					
	2007		2006		2005		2007		2006		2005	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Grade 4												
Advanced	12	2%	11	2%	12	2%	17	3%	24	4%	8	1%
Mastery	98	15%	83	12%	86	12%	73	11%	105	16%	81	11%
Basic	311	46%	308	46%	316	44%	323	48%	308	46%	307	43%
Approaching Basic	153	23%	151	22%	164	23%	169	25%	133	20%	167	23%
Unsatisfactory	96	14%	120	18%	138	19%	88	13%	103	15%	152	21%
Total	670		673		716		670		673		715	

District Achievement Level		Science						Social Studies					
Students		2007		2006		2005		2007		2006		2005	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Grade 8													
Advanced		5	1%	5	1%	4	1%	3	1%	3	0%	2	0%
Mastery		58	10%	42	7%	77	12%	30	5%	41	7%	49	8%
Basic		187	32%	220	35%	230	36%	217	37%	238	38%	277	44%
Approaching Basic		211	36%	225	36%	211	33%	169	29%	189	30%	158	25%
Unsatisfactory		121	21%	131	21%	113	18%	162	28%	152	24%	147	23%
Total		582		623		635		581		623		633	

Schedule 8

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

The Graduation Exit Exam for the 21st Century
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts						Mathematics					
	2007		2006		2005		2007		2006		2005	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Grade 10												
Advanced	2	0%	6	1%	2	0%	32	6%	28	6%	34	6%
Mastery	38	7%	43	9%	65	11%	83	16%	85	17%	81	14%
Basic	248	48%	248	49%	260	45%	245	47%	234	46%	224	39%
Approaching Basic	146	28%	138	27%	163	28%	72	14%	88	17%	95	16%
Unsatisfactory	87	17%	69	14%	89	15%	90	17%	70	14%	146	25%
Total	521		504		579		522		505		580	

District Achievement Level	Science						Social Studies					
	2007		2006		2005		2007		2006		2005	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Grade 11												
Advanced	7	2%	8	1%	10	2%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Mastery	45	10%	51	10%	58	13%	23	5%	17	3%	33	7%
Basic	210	46%	198	37%	181	41%	234	51%	280	52%	222	50%
Approaching Basic	124	27%	187	35%	105	24%	119	26%	138	26%	119	27%
Unsatisfactory	72	16%	90	17%	91	20%	78	17%	99	19%	71	16%
Total	458		534		445		456		534		445	

Schedule 9

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, LouisianaThe Iowa and the Integrated Louisiana Educational Assessment Programs Tests
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

Iowa Tests

	Composite	
	2005	2004
Test of Basic Skills (TBS)		
Grade 3	64	59
Grade 5	52	49
Grade 6	42	39
Grade 7	45	44
Tests of Educational Development (TED)		
Grade 9	43	43

LEAP Tests

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts				Mathematics				Science				Social Studies			
	2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Students																
Grade 3																
Advanced	21	3%	27	4%	61	10%	49	8%	14	2%	30	5%	5	1%	31	5%
Mastery	128	21%	117	18%	157	26%	123	19%	94	15%	64	10%	127	21%	79	12%
Basic	312	51%	304	48%	262	43%	300	47%	275	45%	294	46%	297	49%	315	50%
Approaching Basic	107	18%	130	20%	82	13%	116	18%	187	31%	198	31%	118	19%	156	25%
Unsatisfactory	42	7%	58	9%	48	8%	48	8%	39	6%	50	8%	61	10%	55	9%
Total	610		636		610		636		609		636		608		636	

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts				Mathematics				Science				Social Studies			
	2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Students																
Grade 5																
Advanced	11	2%	5	1%	22	4%	16	3%	5	1%	4	1%	6	1%	4	1%
Mastery	49	8%	61	10%	45	7%	53	9%	40	6%	44	7%	39	6%	21	4%
Basic	220	35%	232	40%	241	38%	249	42%	202	32%	202	34%	243	39%	219	37%
Approaching Basic	179	29%	180	31%	139	22%	134	23%	235	37%	227	39%	176	28%	180	31%
Unsatisfactory	169	27%	109	19%	181	29%	135	23%	146	23%	110	19%	164	26%	163	28%
Total	628		587		628		587		628		587		628		587	

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ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
St. Martinville, Louisiana

The Iowa and the Integrated Louisiana Educational Assessment Programs Tests (Continued)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts				Mathematics				Science				Social Studies			
	2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	r	Percent	Number	Percent	r	Percent
Grade 6																
Advanced	8	1%	12	2%	17	3%	12	2%	4	1%	7	1%	8	1%	12	2%
Mastery	48	8%	88	15%	53	9%	72	13%	44	7%	53	9%	18	3%	29	5%
Basic	282	47%	269	47%	281	47%	300	53%	252	42%	254	45%	257	43%	269	47%
Approaching Basic	177	30%	145	25%	141	24%	116	20%	208	35%	181	32%	196	33%	157	28%
Unsatisfactory	83	14%	55	10%	106	18%	69	12%	90	15%	74	13%	119	20%	102	18%
Total	598		569		598		569		598		569		598		569	

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts				Mathematics				Science				Social Studies			
	2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006		2007		2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	r	Percent	Number	Percent	r	Percent
Grade 7																
Advanced	13	2%	17	3%	5	1%	6	1%	2	0%	2	0%	2	0%	2	0%
Mastery	51	8%	61	10%	42	7%	36	6%	43	7%	41	7%	36	6%	20	3%
Basic	251	42%	255	42%	262	43%	255	42%	209	35%	198	33%	228	38%	274	45%
Approaching Basic	190	32%	189	31%	165	27%	174	28%	200	33%	214	35%	184	31%	165	27%
Unsatisfactory	98	16%	89	15%	129	21%	140	23%	148	25%	154	25%	153	25%	148	24%
Total	603		611		603		611		602		609		603		609	

District Achievement Level	English Language Arts				Mathematics			
	2007		2006		2007		2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Grade 9								
Advanced	4	1%	2	0%	14	2%	13	2%
Mastery	50	8%	39	6%	59	9%	35	6%
Basic	289	45%	267	43%	285	45%	266	43%
Approaching Basic	226	35%	222	36%	149	23%	146	24%
Unsatisfactory	71	11%	84	14%	133	21%	156	25%
Total	640		614		640		616	